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In re Application of

Yoichi Okano

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EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	AFTER AMENDMENT	PREV. PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	FEE DUE
Total Claims	27 -	24	= 3	x \$18.00	\$ 54.00
Indep. Claims	11 -	6	= 5	x \$86.00	\$ 430.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 484.00

A check in the amount of \$484.00 to cover the excess claim fees is attached hereto. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

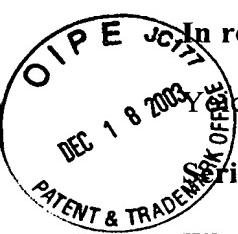
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This paper is a Supplement to the Amendment that was filed on November 21, 2003 and that was responsive to the Office Action dated August 21, 2003. Please further amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1, 3- 11, 13-27 are all the claims presently pending in the application. Claims 1, 3-5, 8-11, 14, and 17-24 are amended to more clearly define the invention, claims 25-27 are added, and claims 2 and 12 are canceled. Claims 1, 8, 11, 18-21, 23, and 25-27 are independent.

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